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Piero LOSI et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1791  
Application No.: 10/584,798 )  
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**SUPPLEMENTAL  
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)**

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, filed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97, is intended to replace Applicants' Information Disclosure Statement filed June 30, 2009 and correct some omissions therefrom.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(c), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents on the attached listing. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the events recited in Section 1.97(b) but, to the undersigned's knowledge, before the mailing date of either a Final action, Quayle action, or a Notice of Allowance. Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c), the fee of \$180.00, as specified by Section 1.17(p), was paid on June 30, 2009 in connection with the Information Disclosure Statement that Applicants are hereby supplementing.

Copies of the listed foreign patent documents and the respective English-language translations are attached.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

This submission does not represent that a search has been made or that no better art exists and does not constitute an admission that each or all of the listed documents are material or constitute "prior art." If the Examiner applies any of the documents as prior art against any claims in the application and Applicants determine that the cited document do not constitute "prior art" under United States law, applicants reserve the right to present to the office the relevant facts and law regarding the appropriate status of such documents.

Applicants further reserve the right to take appropriate action to establish the patentability of the disclosed invention over the listed documents, should one or more of the documents be applied against the claims of the present application.

If there is any fee due in connection with the filing of this Statement, please charge the fee to Deposit Account 06-0916.

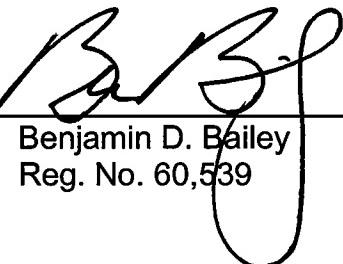
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